

Extra Copies of the JOURNAL can be found at the Book and News Store of Whitehead & Seaman, first door east of Postoffice.

We still live.
What a winter!
Oysters at Lay's.
"Dora" to-night.
Gels & Co.'s bank open.
Precious sunlight again.
Entertainments numerous.
More houses are being built.
Chew Jackson's best tobacco. 2-4 t.
Buy Jackson's blue tag tobacco. 2-4 t.
Fresh Baltimore oysters at Lay's.
Lord has crowded houses every night.
Ask your grocer for "Jackson's best."
Demorest's patterns at Mrs. Hedigan's.
A warm summer and no too—prosperity.
Fresh fish at Bartlett & Jenkins' meat market.

The best investment in Salina, "Jackson's best." 2-4 t.
Capt. Mohler has gone to Hays on law business.
Apples cheaper than elsewhere, at J. C. Rash & Son's.
Salina merchants keep Jackson's best tobacco. 2-4 t.
Good apples \$3.00 per barrel, at J. C. Rash & Son's.
If you want a first-class pump, go to Treaslin & Warren.

Oyster stews, 35 cents, at the Delmonico Restaurant.
The past few days have had a very autumnal appearance.
Mr. D. B. Powers arrived from Kansas City last evening.

The lumber dealers begin again to send out a little plank.
Choice fresh oysters—the best in the market—at G. J. Lay's.

OYSTERS raw, per dozen 30 cents, at the Delmonico Restaurant.
Butterick's Pattern Agency at Mrs. F. L. Watkins' Fancy Store.

Nice poultry, dressed and ready for cooking, at Bartlett & Jenkins' meat market.
First-class meat always on hand at Bartlett & Jenkins' meat market.

Choice Baltimore oysters received by the fast train, at G. J. Lay's.
The spire of the Christian church is being finished up in good style.

Take your folks to Lay's and indulge in some of those fine oysters.
There will soon be a corner on blue ribbon. Buy before the prices go up.

New spring goods just received by F. Johnson, tailor. Go and examine.
The public schools are flourishing and the teachers are doing their duty.

Selected oysters—selected especially for the Salina market—at G. J. Lay's.
Mr. A. G. Couse is again confined to his bed, and has been quite seriously ill.

A large supply of excellent buffalo meat at Bartlett & Jenkins' meat market.
Meade & Son are preparing to put into their lively stable some very fine rigs.

Buy your dry goods, boots and shoes, hats, caps and groceries of J. C. Rash & Son.
OYSTERS fried, 40 cents, at the Delmonico Restaurant, conducted by W. P. Thatcher.

WANTED IMMEDIATELY—Four girls to do general housework. C. & A. T. SANDER.
G. A. Solberg is closing out his winter stock at very low prices. Go and give him a call.

The wheat fields are still grand looking. What a brilliant prospect there is before us.
A splendid line of blank books—something new—just received at Whitehead & Seaman's.

Treslin & Warren warrant every pump and well they put down to give satisfaction, or no pay.
German Scotch tweeds and cassimere suits made to order at E. J. McCormick's, from \$20 to \$30.

A flock of meadow larks visited our city on Sunday morning, and sang their old familiar song.
Fine cut-stone steps have been laid at the foot of the grand staircase of the Opera House.

There is every indication now that we shall have steady pleasant weather and, eventually, dry roads.
Rev. J. H. Lockwood of this place delivered a temperance lecture at Russell, last Tuesday evening.

We are indebted to Senator Ingalls for a copy of his great speech on the college of silver dollars.
Quarterly meeting will be held at Summit School House, Gypsum creek circuit, on the 7th and 8th of March.

Washington's birthday was very little observed. Not a flag, not the roar of a cannon, not even a plain drum.
The front of J. W. Morris' bank has been painted a beautiful red color, and is now being handsomely penciled.

Mr. Chas. Snood, general excursion agent for the R.R., and his sister, Mrs. S. E. Snood, were in town on Tuesday.
Croquet is to be "all the rage" this season, and Whitehead & Seaman have just received several sets to supply the demand.

Lucy, a painter, has evidently "gone to the deuce," leaving a number of unpaid bills to remind people that he was, but is not.
The grain trade commenced reviving with great vigor last Tuesday. Many wagons loaded with wheat were hauled into town.

We understand that Solomon City is to have a new railroad depot. Why should not the company furnish Salina with one, too?
Bartlett & Jenkins can be found at C. E. Meade & Son's stand, with a large stock of meat. Call, buy, test and be satisfied.

The streets have been in such a condition that prepared mud for forty brick yards could have been obtained with little difficulty.
The Athletic Club boys say they will have their club party one week from to-morrow evening. This is the last postponement.

D. & J. E. Whitehead have a good assortment of clocks—some better in the State to select from. Their jewelry stock is superb.
100 acres of ground 1 mile from town—ready for Odesa wheat, for rent on shares or cash. C. & A. T. SANDER.

Any other week people hereabouts will be complaining of the dust, and will not be satisfied until the mud is soft and deep again.
The appointment for preaching in the Lutheran church for next Sabbath evening is recalled, because of the Union Temperance meeting.

Treslin & Warren can beat the man who invented drive wells. If you don't believe it, let them put one down for you.

The McGibbeny Family Brass Band played from the portico of the City Hotel building yesterday morning. They did very finely.

John Kingman gave a dance to his Gypsum creek friends, Tuesday night, which is said to have been a very pleasant affair.

Eureka Liquid Stove Polish. The best in the known world. OBER, WILSON & CO., 1-6m Sole Agents.

FOR RENT—A front room in the second story of the Journal building on Iron Avenue.

The Advocate office has been moved into the second story of C. W. Jones' new brick on Santa Fe, south of Ober, Wilson & Co's store.

The soil of the prairie lands in places is very soft. It is with the greatest difficulty that a team can draw an empty wagon across them.

McCall, the man who does the circular work on the Cincinnati cylinder, performs his labor with much better spirit since the birth of that little daughter.

Sunday School will commence at 2 o'clock next Sabbath at the Baptist church, owing to the temperance meeting in the M. E. church, at 3 o'clock p. m.

Everybody is talking about the capriciousness of the weather. The weather subject would soon become monotonous if we didn't occasionally have a change.

The bodies of Yager and his son have not yet been recovered. Parties have been exploring the Saline river thoroughly, but no trace of the bodies has been discovered.

For sale, a farm of 160 acres, with house and stable, —75 acres broken, 85 acres in wheat. Terms—\$1,900—\$500 down, balance on long time. Enquire at this office.

If you want good work in the line of boot and shoemaking, call upon H. J. Ostheimer, successor to L. J. Grant, at the old Stand. Prices reasonable and to suit all.

John Gels & Co., bankers of Salina, expect to resume business soon. This firm has done much for Salina, and we hope to see them on their feet again.—Ellsworth Reporter.

Bartlett & Jenkins are proprietors of the Salina Packing House and Sausage Manufactory. A full stock always on hand. They can be found at Meade & Son's old stand.

There will be a business meeting of the Salina Athletic Club next Monday evening, March 4th. All members are requested to be present.

Friend Stech is fixing up the engine of the steamboat and putting the same in "ship-shape" condition, for next season's work. It will not be long before she will be running again.

Several of our townsmen have become excited over the news of silver discoveries near Chouteau, in the southern part of the state, and are talking of making an overland trip to the new Eldorado.

The Iron Avenue bridge is to be repaired by Krueger & Parker. The iron work is to be tightened up and otherwise placed in a safe and secure condition. Workmen are already engaged at it.

Come one—come all, and be convinced that the Delmonico Restaurant, kept by W. P. Thatcher, is the best restaurant in the west. Down goes the price of regular meals to only thirty-five cents.

Coal has been discovered on the Mulberry, in Mr. Parks' neighborhood. Teams have been hauling it away, for a week or so past, to farms in that neighborhood. It is said to be of very good quality.

The cowardly politicians who urge every backward that come along to make attacks upon the editors of the JOURNAL will find that there is a day of reckoning approaching. In that day they will throw up their hands and cry, "Peccavi!"

The incomparable "Estey organ" and other renowned "Wilson Sewing Machine"—at the new music store, S. W. Pierce & Co., wholesale agents for Central and Western Kansas.

C. E. Libby and G. M. Eastman, agents for Saline and adjoining counties.

Mr. James Chace has become connected with the real estate and loan agency of Bishop & Grier. Chace is an active, go-ahead man, is well acquainted, and undoubtedly will work up a good business. The firm is to loan money for a Topeka party.

Mr. Tozier, book-keeper at Ober, Wilson & Co's, has invented a refrigerator which manufactures the ice needed for its use. It is simply contrived, but in our opinion for economy and refrigerative power is far ahead of any other in existence.

Owing to the unfinished condition of the Opera House, Lord's troupe was not enabled to inaugurate a grand opening at that place, Monday evening, in accordance with the announcement made by us in last week's paper. They will exhibit in Athletic Hall every night this week.

Our object in life tends to something higher and nobler.—Herald.
In proof of which read first the articles in last week's Herald entitled "The slanders," and then "They whom the Gods wish to destroy they first make mad."

A friend of ours was troubled the other day by his boy stamping about the room. On the impulse of the moment the father turned to his son and said quickly: "Stop your noise, you mule, you." The boy stopped and very innocently asked: "What do you say the mule's name is, father?"

Mr. O. A. Orris, recently of the Black Hills, but now connected with Powers, Lynde & Co's commission house at Kansas City, is visiting here.

Dr. Underwood, the Oculist, is absent on professional business in the eastern part of the state, and will not return to Salina until the first of May. We would especially recommend him to the people of our neighboring cities and towns, as skilled and proficient in his profession, reliable in every sense and a most pleasant and genial gentleman.

We understand that Mr. D. B. Powers has sold out his Black Hills and other interests for the purpose of concentrating everything at Kansas City in the grain commission business. This commission house is becoming one of the most extensive in the Western country. We also understand that Mr. Powers will remove his family to Kansas City.

The McGibbeny Family will give a concert at the M. E. Church to-night. They are returning East, having won the golden opinions of the press and public of the principal cities of the Pacific coast, in the last few months. It is said to be a remarkable family of Lilliputian musicians.

We are satisfied from what we have seen and heard of them that their entertainments will be first-class. Admission to all parts of the house, 50 cents.

The Lord Troupe is still playing here with great success. It is generally pronounced the best traveling troupe in existence. On Thursday night, "Hidden Hand" was played; Friday night, "Uncle Tom's Cabin"; Saturday night, "Rip Van Winkle"; Monday night, "Miss Mutton"; Tuesday night, "Kathleen Macauliffe"; last night, "Divorce" (repeated by general request). To-night "Dora" will be played.

We learn that the correspondence of "G's," from Brookville, in our last issue, contained a low personal fling at a respectable citizen of that place, which would not have found place in the columns of the JOURNAL had we even suspected the nature of the article. The columns of the JOURNAL are not open for anonymous writers to give vent to their personal spite. We desire our correspondents to confine themselves to such local news items as will be creditable to their locality, and especially to avoid writing that for which they are not held responsible.

While the McGibbeny Family's Brass Band was playing at the corners yesterday morning, a horse team standing near Whitehead & Seaman's store, having become frightened, started to run. They turned "too short," however; consequently the wagon was tipped over and on to one of the wheel horses, and forward movement was stopped for the time being. By the assistance of a number of parties the vehicle and horses were soon placed in the usual trim—minus a few feet of the pole and bits of harness.

Mr. Reynolds being the Murphy temperance work here next Sunday. The first meeting is to be held at the M. E. church, at 3 o'clock p. m. The meetings will continue every evening through the week. The roads are getting good. Let the people come in from the country and hear the distinguished lecturer, who has been so successful in eastern Kansas, and more recently in Kansas City, obtaining thousands of signatures to the Murphy pledge.

Let Saline county take the stand in this great movement, and roll up as large an army of signers in proportion to her population as any other county in the State. We understand that the McGibbeny family will sing several of the most recent and popular temperance airs at the meeting.

Without cause or provocation the local editor of the Herald (our G. E. Nunnelly), in the issue of that paper last week, made a lying, infamous attack upon one of the editors of the JOURNAL. Nunnelly lies at us in an article strikingly similar to that written by one Theo. Wilson, whom Hanna employed to attack us, about three years ago. Wilson proved himself, as we then predicted, a first-class fraud! What will be the end of this fellow who has in the style of his article been Wilson's prototype?

We leave to the future to determine. We have resided in this community eleven years, and have, or ought to have, by this time established an average good or bad character—such a character as cannot be affected either for the better or worse by an adventurer, who has established no character, and by his own admissions and declarations makes it appear that his past life is all without blemish. It is not our intentions to fill our columns with a defense of our character, when the circumstances of the case do not require it.

A meeting of the creditors of John Gels & Co. was held at the court house yesterday morning. At least nine-tenths of the creditors have assented to Messrs. Gels & Co's proposition to pay the amounts of deposits in installments of ten per cent., provided an extension of eighteen months is given them. Messrs. Faulkner, Eberhardt and J. B. Hamilton were appointed a committee to superintend the application of the assets to payment of liabilities. The temporary assignees recovered the assigned property to John Gels & Co.

The following resolutions were adopted: Resolved—That the assignees named in the assignment of the property of John Gels & Co. be and they are hereby authorized to accept the assignment of the property of John Gels & Co. and to execute the same in accordance with the terms of the assignment, and to execute the same in accordance with the terms of the assignment, and to execute the same in accordance with the terms of the assignment.

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Mrs. Doretta Everts died last Saturday at her residence in this place, at the age of 62 years. She was buried last Monday, Rev. A. J. Hartsock conducting the ceremony.

The quarterly meeting for Salina Circuit will be held at the Pleasant Ridge church, six miles south of Salina, Saturday and Sabbath, 9th and 10th of March. Quarterly Conference will convene at 2 o'clock P. M., on Saturday, preaching Saturday night.

It is so gorgeous to get out on a gorgeous duck hunt. Who wouldn't be a gorgeous duck hunter? It is so extremely fascinating to walk into town with a brace or more of ducks, and swing them furiously about your head in response to "What'd ye get?"

Who would forego all the pleasure incident to such a hunt—when the soil is more water than earth. Life is too short to wait for dry roads and firm, unyielding prairies. A party of gentlemen believing the above assertions to be truths, set out on a duck hunting expedition, Tuesday last. Ducks? There were millions of them; but too high in the air for mortal aim. And what is equally as truthful, they never came down from their high-up-in-the-air position, except when miles away from the party aforesaid. Undoubtedly they would have been safe if they had come within gunshot. That the party had a good time ducking is true—they were ducked in the mud.

A few miles out, their vehicle became firmly imbedded in a long, wide, deep waste of mud. It was near the "close of parting day." Something had to be done. In short order three of the party were making excavations as assistants on Schlemmer and other mud diggers. The fourth fellow was allowed to go home unattended but in considerable state—he walked home! Long after twilight three festive duck hunters sneaked up a back alley to the "place of beginning." It was a gorgeous duck hunt.

Good Results
Are always pleasant to contemplate, as every dyspeptic sufferer who uses Parker's Ginger Tonic will attest. To obtain from this remedy the gratifying relief when distressed with headache, low spirits, nervousness, wakefulness, pain in stomach, palpitation of the heart, liver disorders, costiveness, heartburn, cramps, etc., is a pleasant experience that surprises no less than it comforts. Another remarkable feature of this remedy is its powerful specific action on the skin and mucous surfaces of the throat and lungs, by which it unfailingly cures the worst cases of cough, cold and sore throat. It cures in a wonderfully short time, removes all soreness from lungs and protects the feeble from consumption. Buy a \$1 bottle from your druggist, O. Seltz, or a sample bottle for 15 cts and test its merits.

Good Tidings to All.
You do not have to wear those lopsided or shoddy clothes, since McCormick has made such a reduction in the price of his clothes made to order. You can now get an all-wool suit made up in the latest style by him for from \$20 to \$25.

Election of Officers.
There will be a meeting of the new building and loan association at the office of Wight & Carroll, to-morrow night, at 7:30 o'clock, for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year. To-morrow evening is the time appointed for the annual meeting, and it is desirable that there should be a rousing attendance.

Spring Goods Just Arrived.
A full line of the latest styles of cloths, cassimeres and vestings for the merchant tailoring trade at E. J. McCormick's. An examination of the same is respectfully solicited.

Real Estate Transfers.
The following is a list of real estate transfers in Saline county, filed in the office of S. T. Criss, Register of Deeds, for the week ending February 23rd.

UNITED STATES TO ELISHA DARRIE, chf wgr 8 12, T. 13, R. 4.
MARTHA T. WARREN to J. H. WARD, wif wgr 7 15, R. 2, and chf wgr 8 12, T. 13, R. 2.
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The Professor is an excellent musician. Mrs. McGibbeny is a beautiful woman, with a sweet and powerful voice. Frank, the oldest boy, is a real musical genius, while Viola is a born concertist. High is the character singer, and performs his part to perfection; but after all little Alle, five years old, is the "star" performer, and as bright and self-possessed as though she was "full fledged." The gem of the evening was—well there was no gem. We understand the family in on their way to Europe. We trust upon their return westward they will give us another chance to hear them.

Not noticing any letters from anyone else of manufacturing and having written all I can think of for the present in regard to the matter, (but hope it will not be the last that will be written upon that subject), I will now proceed to try and give you a few items. I will first commence on J. Deane & Co. (they being the oldest firm in town). They have been doing an extensive business in the mercantile line all the fall and winter; J. Deane being chief clerk for the last four or five years, and has had a great deal of experience in buying goods, and is a No. 1 buyer. So by his careful selection and close buying, he is able to sell goods as low as any firm in the west. He is also going to keep the largest stock of agricultural implements ever kept in this place. When in town call and look at his stock before going elsewhere. If you want anything from a needle to a pin that he does not keep in stock, he will order it and have it for you in a week, if it is this side of the Pacific.

Ober, Wilson & Co., where the old post-office is kept, are doing a good business; Mr. Ames being an old and experienced merchant from the east,